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MAYOR

TOWNSHIP OF FLORENCE

ORDINANCE 2018-02

AN ORDINANCE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF FLORENCE AMENDING ORDINANCE 2017-28, SPECIFICALLY CHAPTER 79, SECTION 14 OF THE TOWNSHIP CODE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF FLORENCE ENTITLED "FLOOD DAMAGE PREVENTION-VARIANCE PROCEDURE"

WHEREAS, consistent with the recommendation of the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, the Township Council of the Township of Florence adopted Ordinance 2017-28, which provided for certain amendments to the Chapter 79 of the Township Code of the Township of Florence entitled "Flood Damage Prevention" in order to meet the requirements accepted by FEMA to maintain compliance and ensure continued participation in the national flood insurance program; and

WHEREAS, following the adoption of Ordinance 2017-28, the NJDEP confirmed that Florence Township continues to be eligible for participation in the flood insurance program, but also requested that the Township make a minor amendment to Chapter 79, Section 14(c);

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED b the Township Council of the Township of Florence in the County of Burlington, State of New Jersey that Chapter 79, Section 14(c) of the Township Code be and is hereby amended as follows:

ARTICLE I: AMENDED SECTIONS. Chapter 79, Section 14, Subsection (c) of this Code, entitled "Flood Damage Prevention" is amended as follows"

1. §79-14(1)(c) is hereby eliminated in its entirety and shall be supplemented to read as follows:

Those aggrieved by the decision of the Planning Board, or any taxpayer, may appeal such decision to the Superior Court, as provided in N.J.S.A. 40:55D-1, et seq.

ARTICLE TWO. Repealer, Severability and Effective Date.

1. Repealer. Any and all Ordinances inconsistent with the terms of this Ordinance are hereby repealed to the extent of any such inconsistencies.
2. Severability. In the event that any clause, section, paragraph or sentence of this Ordinance is deemed to be invalid or unenforceable for any reason, then the Township Council hereby declares its intent that the balance of the Ordinance not affected by said invalidity shall remain in full force and effect to the extent that it allows the Township to meet the goals of the Ordinance.
3. Effective Date. This Ordinance shall take effect upon proper passage in accordance with the law.



PAUL OSTRANDER  
COUNCIL PRESIDENT



NANCY L. ERLSTON, RMC  
TOWNSHIP CLERK

